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**Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder**REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/05 AND ENDING 12/31/05  
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY**A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION**

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc.

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)  
601 W Nifong, Suite 3B

(No. and Street)

Columbia, MO 65203

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

Ferd LaBrunerie

573-449-5313

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

**B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION**INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report\*  
Moore, Horton & Carlson PC

(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

209A E Green Meadows, Columbia, MO 65203

(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

**CHECK ONE:**

- ☒ Certified Public Accountant  
☐ Public Accountant  
☐ Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions.

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## OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Ferd LaBrunerie, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of \_\_\_\_\_, as of December 31, 2005, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

None



Notary Public

*Ferd LaBrunerie*  
Signature  
*President*  
Title

This report \*\* contains (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ (a) Facing Page.
- ☒ (b) Statement of Financial Condition. (Balance Sheet)
- ☒ (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- ☒ (d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition. (Cash Flows)
- ☒ (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
- ☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- ☒ (g) Computation of Net Capital. (Supplemental Information)
- ☐ (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3. (Exempt)
- ☒ (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3. (Note F)
- ☐ (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3. (Exempt)
- ☒ (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation. (Note G)
- ☒ (l) An Oath or Affirmation.
- ☐ (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- ☐ (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

\*\*For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

Audited Financial Statements  
and Supplemental Information

**LaBrunerie Financial  
Services, Inc.**

December 31, 2005

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

Board of Directors  
LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc.  
601 W Nifong, Suite 3B  
Columbia, Missouri

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets of LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc. (an S-corporation) as of December 31, 2005 and 2004 and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the years then ended that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc. as of December 31, 2005 and 2004 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion of the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained on pages 11-13 of our report is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 and NASD Rule 3011. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

*Moore Horton & Carlson PC*

Columbia, Missouri  
February 24, 2006

**BALANCE SHEETS**

	<b>December 31</b>	
	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Cash in bank	\$ 29,790	\$ 19,797
Commissions receivable	12,572	24,568
Prepaid expense	<u>75</u>	<u>75</u>
	42,437	44,440
<b>OTHER ASSETS</b>		
Brokerage account (unrestricted)--Note C	42	17
Brokerage account (restricted)--Note D	10,000	10,000
Available for sale investments--Note D	<u>63,973</u>	<u>65,581</u>
	74,015	75,598
<b>PLANT AND EQUIPMENT</b>		
Office furniture	29,097	23,581
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>22,275</u>	<u>21,172</u>
	6,822	2,409
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b><u>\$123,274</u></b>	<b><u>\$122,447</u></b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Commissions payable	\$ 10,058	\$ 17,197
Accrued payroll taxes	<u>3,400</u>	<u>2,232</u>
	13,458	19,429
<b>STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
Common stock, \$1 par value; 30,000 shares authorized, 3,000 shares issued	3,000	3,000
Paid in capital	69,130	69,130
Retained earnings	39,494	29,986
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	<u>(1,808)</u>	<u>902</u>
	109,816	103,018
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>	<b><u>\$123,274</u></b>	<b><u>\$122,447</u></b>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

## STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	Year ended December 31	
	2005	2004
<b>Sales</b>	\$806,145	\$679,760
<b>Commissions</b>	<u>659,136</u>	<u>522,432</u>
<b>GROSS PROFIT</b>	<u>147,009</u>	<u>157,328</u>
<b>Overhead Expenses</b>		
Accounting	3,220	7,685
Advertising	2,193	620
Attorney fees	7,755	3,408
Bonuses	75	2,018
Compliance	7,429	8,375
Computer supplies	6,142	2,561
Contract labor	612	4,840
Contributions	200	350
Depreciation	1,103	4,639
Entertainment	368	792
Dues and subscriptions	4,636	6,648
Insurance	3,279	2,369
Interest expense	---	143
Meetings	4,039	575
Miscellaneous	1,571	1,761
Office expense	9,432	6,153
Parking	290	38
Payroll	51,865	55,668
Payroll expense	562	803
Payroll taxes	4,248	4,315
Postage	6,724	6,158
Printing	2,210	1,222
Rent	11,604	11,570
Repairs	432	---
Taxes and licenses	466	235
Telephone	5,852	5,898
Utilities	554	---
Website	<u>1,789</u>	<u>2,075</u>
<b>TOTAL OVERHEAD EXPENSES</b>	<u>138,650</u>	<u>140,919</u>
<b>OPERATING INCOME</b>	<u>8,359</u>	<u>16,409</u>
<b>Other Income</b>		
Interest income	25	32
Dividends	1,102	2,820
Gain on sale investments	---	232
Miscellaneous	<u>22</u>	<u>---</u>
<b>TOTAL OTHER INCOME</b>	<u>1,149</u>	<u>3,084</u>
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<u>\$ 9,508</u>	<u>\$ 19,493</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

December 31, 2005

	Common Stock	Additional Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss)	Total Stockholders' Equity
Balance at December 31, 2003	\$3,000	\$69,130	\$10,493	\$ 132	\$ 82,755
Net income	---	---	19,493	---	19,493
Change in unrealized holding gains (losses)	---	---	---	770	770
<b>BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2004</b>	3,000	69,130	29,986	902	\$103,018
Net income	---	---	9,508	---	9,508
Change in unrealized holding gains (losses)	---	---	---	(2,710)	(2,710)
<b>BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2005</b>	<u>\$3,000</u>	<u>\$69,130</u>	<u>\$39,494</u>	<u>\$ (1,808)</u>	<u>\$109,816</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.



## STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Year ended December 31	
	2005	2004
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Net Income	\$ 9,508	\$19,493
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation	1,103	4,639
Gain on sale of investments	---	(232)
Unrealized gain on investments	(2,710)	---
Change in assets and liabilities increasing (decreasing) cash flows:		
Commissions receivable	11,996	(24,568)
Prepaid expense	---	68
Accounts payable	---	(912)
Leases payable	---	(847)
Commissions payable	(7,140)	17,197
Accrued payroll tax	<u>1,168</u>	<u>852</u>
<b>NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>13,925</b>	<b>15,690</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Purchase of equipment	(5,516)	(3,395)
Proceeds from sale investments	2,205	45,209
Purchase of investments	(2,205)	(44,207)
Decrease (increase) in brokerage account	(25)	14
Decrease (increase) in available-for-sale	<u>1,608</u>	<u>(6,322)</u>
<b>NET CASH USED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>(3,933)</b>	<b>(8,701)</b>
<b>CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS</b>	<b>9,992</b>	<b>6,989</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	<u>19,797</u>	<u>12,808</u>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR</b>	<b><u>\$29,789</u></b>	<b><u>\$19,797</u></b>

## SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION

Cash paid for interest	\$ ---	\$ 143
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No cash was paid for taxes in 2005 or 2004.

The Company considers all cash on deposit to be cash and cash equivalents for purposes of the statement of cash flows. Non-cash transactions in 2005 and 2004 included changes in the unrealized gain on investments of \$1,002 and (\$2,710), respectively.

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2005

NOTE A--SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

**Business Activities:** The Company was incorporated on September 8, 1994 and provides services as a registered broker and dealer. Revenues and expenses consist primarily of commissions received and paid.

**Security Trading:** On security trades by customers, the Company acts as the introducing broker on a fully disclosed basis. Customer accounts are maintained on the books of the carrying broker.

**Basis of Accounting:** The Company uses the accrual basis of accounting, which is consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

**Plant and Equipment:** Purchases and equipment with a useful life of more than one year are capitalized. Depreciation is based on the useful life of the asset and charged to income ratably over that life. Repairs and improvements which significantly increase the useful life of an asset are capitalized.

**Commissions Receivable and Payable:** Commissions receivable at December 31, 2005 was \$12,572. Commissions receivable at December 31, 2004 were \$24,568.

Commissions payable at December 31, 2005 were \$10,058. Commissions payable at December 31, 2004 \$17,197.

**Income Taxes:** The Company has elected to be taxed under the provisions of subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code. As an S-corporation all items of income and expense are passed through to shareholders to be taxed on their individual income tax returns.

**Use of Estimates:** Generally accepted accounting principles require the use of estimates in the preparation of financial statements. Actual amounts may differ from estimated amounts.

**Personnel Policies:** The Company pays its sales personnel on a commission basis and considers sales personnel to be self-employed. No taxes are withheld on commissions paid.

**Advertising:** Advertising costs are expensed as incurred.

**Compensated Absences:** Compensated absences have not been accrued in the financial statements because the amount cannot be reasonably estimated.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Cont'd

**NOTE B--RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Ferd and Alex LaBrunerie are each a 50% shareholder and serve as directors and officers of the Company. Commissions paid to related parties were:

	<u>2005</u>	<u>2004</u>
Ferd LaBrunerie	\$290,229	\$224,012
Alex LaBrunerie	311,458	247,505

Beginning in 2006 the Company will lease its office space from Ferd LaBrunerie. There is no contract.

**NOTE C--RESTRICTIONS ON CASH**

The Company is required by its brokerage firm to maintain \$10,000.00 in a house account with them. The balance in this account at December 31, 2005 and 2004 was \$10,042 and \$10,017, respectively. \$10,000.00 of this amount has been reported as restricted cash under other assets.

**NOTE D--INVESTMENTS**

Available-for-sale investments are reported at market value. Income recognized on dividends and capital gain distributions is added to the investment's cost basis. Unrealized gains and losses arising from changes in the market are reported as a separate component of retained earnings. At December 31, 2005 and 2004 investments consisted of:

	<u>Beginning Fair Value</u>	<u>Reinvested Interest &amp; Dividends</u>	<u>Market Change</u>	<u>Transfers, Purchases &amp; Sales</u>	<u>Ending Fair Value</u>
<b><u>2004</u></b>					
American Balanced Fund	\$16,546	\$ 817	\$ 834	\$ 5,000	\$23,197
Pimco Funds	11,084	161	(8)	(11,237)	---
Nuveen	14,600	1,832	40	14,458	30,930
Cortland Trust	5,055	10	---	(3,569)	1,496
US Treasury Bills	<u>11,974</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>136</u>	<u>(2,152)</u>	<u>9,958</u>
	<u>\$59,259</u>	<u>\$2,820</u>	<u>\$1,002</u>	<u>\$ 2,500</u>	<u>\$65,581</u>

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Cont'd

## NOTE D--INVESTMENTS - Cont'd

	<u>Beginning Fair Value</u>	<u>Reinvested Interest &amp; Dividends</u>	<u>Market Change</u>	<u>Transfers, Purchases &amp; Sales</u>	<u>Ending Fair Value</u>
<b>2005</b>					
American Balanced Fund	\$23,197	\$ 77	\$ 459	\$ ---	\$23,733
Morningstar	---	---	393	2,205	2,598
Nuveen	30,930	822	(3,542)	(1,205)	27,005
Cortland Trust	1,496	203	---	(1,000)	699
US Treasury Bills	<u>9,958</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>(20)</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>9,938</u>
	<u>\$65,581</u>	<u>\$ 1,102</u>	<u>\$(2,710)</u>	<u>\$ ---</u>	<u>\$63,973</u>

An unrealized loss of \$2,710 has been charged to other comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2005. An unrealized gain of \$1,002 has been charged to other comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2004.

For purposes of computing net capital pursuant to Rule 15c3-1(1) market values of investments must be reduced (haircut) as follows:

Government Securities (3-6 months)	1/2%
Money Market Funds	2%
Mutual Funds	15%
Securities	15%

At December 31, 2005 and 2004 these amounts were:

	<u>2005</u>		<u>2004</u>	
	<u>Value</u>	<u>Haircut</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Haircut</u>
Government Securities (3-6 months):				
US Treasury Bills	\$ 9,938	\$ 50	\$ 9,958	\$ 50
Money Market Funds:				
Brokerage account	10,042	201	10,017	200
Cortland Trust	699	14	1,496	30
Equities:				
Morningstar	2,598	390	---	---
Mutual Funds:				
American Balanced Fund	23,733	3,560	23,197	3,480
Nuveen	<u>27,005</u>	<u>4,051</u>	<u>30,930</u>	<u>4,640</u>
	<u>\$74,015</u>	<u>\$8,266</u>	<u>\$75,598</u>	<u>\$8,400</u>

These investments are held to satisfy reserve requirements and are not held for trading purposes.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Cont'd

**NOTE E--NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS**

The Company is required to maintain a minimum net capital by SEC Rule 15c3-1. Net capital required under the rule is \$50,000.00. On December 31, 2005 the Company had net capital of \$94,653. (\$44,653) in excess of minimum required amount). The percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 14.21%. On December 31, 2004 the Company had net capital of \$92,134 (\$42,134 in excess of minimum required amount). The percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 21.09%.

**NOTE F--CONTROL REQUIREMENTS**

There are no amounts, as of December 31, 2005 and 2004, to be reported pursuant to the possession or control requirement under Rule 15c3-3. The Company is in compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under paragraph (k)(2)(ii) and thus is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3.

**NOTE G--RECONCILIATION PURSUANT TO RULE 17a-5(d)(4)**

Based on our computation of net capital under Rule 15c3-1, as of December 31, 2005 and 2004 there were no material differences with respondent's unaudited report.

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

COMPUTATIONS OF NET CAPITAL PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-1(1)

	December 31	
	2005	2004
<b>NET CAPITAL</b>		
Ownership Equity	\$109,816	\$103,018
Less non-allowable assets:		
Prepaid expense	75	75
Net fixed assets	<u>6,822</u>	<u>2,409</u>
	<u>6,897</u>	<u>2,484</u>
<b>TOTAL ALLOWABLE CAPITAL</b>	102,919	100,534
Less Haircuts on Investments	<u>8,266</u>	<u>8,400</u>
<b>TOTAL NET CAPITAL</b>	94,653	92,134
<b>MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT</b>	<u>(50,000)</u>	<u>(50,000)</u>
<b>EXCESS OVER MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT</b>	<u>\$ 44,653</u>	<u>\$ 42,134</u>
<b>TOTAL AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS</b>	<u>\$ 13,458</u>	<u>\$ 19,429</u>
<b>RATIO OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS TO NET CAPITAL</b>	<u>14.21%</u>	<u>21.09%</u>

See independent auditors' report

**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY SEC RULE  
17a-5 FOR A BROKER-DEALER CLAIMING AN EXEMPTION FROM SEC RULE 15c3-3**

Board of Directors  
LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc.  
601 W Nifong, Suite 3B  
Columbia, Missouri

In planning and performing our audits of the financial statements and supplemental schedules of LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc. for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customers' securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1) Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons.
- 2) Recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13.
- 3) Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgements by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.



**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY SEC RULE  
17a-5 FOR A BROKER-DEALER CLAIMING AN EXEMPTION FROM SEC RULE 15c3-3 - Cont'd**

Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objective referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and our study we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2005 and 2004 to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the SEC and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17-a-5(g) under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

*Moore Horton & Carlson PC*

Columbia, Missouri  
February 24, 2006

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON AML COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE  
PATRIOT ACT AND NASD RULE 3011**

Board of Directors  
LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc.  
601 W Nifong, Suite 3B  
Columbia, Missouri

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial statements and supplemental schedules of LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc. as of December 31, 2005 and 2004 and have issued our report thereon dated February 24, 2006

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental schedules LaBrunerie Financial Services, Inc. for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, we also considered its policies and procedures regarding compliance with the provisions of the Patriot Act.

Also, as required by NASD Rule 3011, we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in NASD Rule 3011. These included:

- The establishment and implementation of policies and procedures that can be reasonably expected to detect and cause the reporting of suspicious transactions;
- The establishment and implementation of policies, procedures, and internal controls reasonably designed to achieve compliance with the Bank Secrecy Act and implementing regulations;
- The designation of an individual responsible for implementing and monitoring the day-to-day operations and internal controls of the program;
- The provision for ongoing training of appropriate personnel.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgements by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the NASD's above mentioned objectives.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, it is possible that money laundering may occur and not be detected.

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON AML COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE  
PATRIOT ACT AND NASD RULE 3011 - Cont'd**

Our consideration of these practices and procedures would not necessarily disclose all matters in respect to anti money laundering that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that money laundering may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objective referred to in the second and third paragraphs of this report are considered by the NASD to be adequate for its purposes in complying with the Patriot Act, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and our study we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, except as discussed in the preceding paragraph, were adequate at December 31, 2005 and 2004 to meet the NASD's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the SEC and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17-a-5(g) under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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